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First Named Inventor

VARKI, Ajit et al

Art Unit

UNKNOWN

Examiner Name

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Attorney Docket Number

XUCSD-1037153

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)

Fee Transmittal Form



Fee Attached



Amendment/Reply



After Final



Affidavits/declaration(s)



Extension of Time Request



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Information Disclosure Statement



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Incomplete ApplicationReply to Missing Parts
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Drawing(s)



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Executed Declaration; Copy of
Notification of Missing
Requirements; Return postcard

Remarks

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Date

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<p>Effective on 12/08/2004. Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).</p> <h1>FEE TRANSMITTAL</h1> <h2>For FY 2007</h2>		Complete If Known	
		Application Number	10/565,742
		Filing Date	January 23, 2006
		First Named Inventor	VARKI, Ajit et al
		Examiner Name	UNKNOWN
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Art Unit	UNKNOWN
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT		(S)325.00	
		Attorney Docket No.	XUCSD-1037153

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims - 20 or HP = _____ x _____ = _____

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims - 3 or HP = _____ x 100 = _____

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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

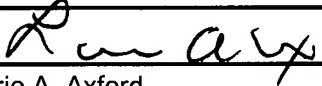
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Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): One month extension of time fee; surcharge for late submission of filing \$125.00

SUBMITTED BY		Registration No. 35,053	Telephone 619-696-6700
Signature		(Attorney/Agent)	
Name (Print/Type)	Laurie A. Axford	Date	6/21/07

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/23/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/23/2006
- Small Entity Statement filed on 01/23/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/23/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 01/23/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$100 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$165 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 100
 - \$100 for 2 independent claims over 3.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

VARKI, Ajit et al

Serial No.: 10/565,742

Filed: January 23, 2006

For: METHODS FOR DETECTING AND
ANALYZING N-GLYCOLYNEURAMINIC
ACID (NEU5GC) IN BIOLOGICAL
MATERIALS

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Examiner: UNKNOWN

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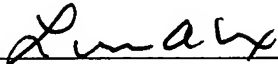
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2. Executed Declaration
- 3.. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements under U.S.C. 371
4. Fee Transmittal Form

5. PTO/SB/22 Petition for Extension of Time Under CFR 1.136(a)
6. Return postcard.

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Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 6/21/07

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